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[DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN]

EASTERN DATES TO MARCH 26

(Congressional)

WASHINGTON, March 25.—In the Senate, resolutions were presented from the Boards of Trade of Boston, Philadelphia and Baltimore, favoring the passage of the bill to refund the direct tax.

Mr. Sherman introduced a bill to amend the act to provide internal revenue to support the government and to pay interest on the public debt, approved June 30, 1864, and the several acts amendatory thereof, and for other purposes. Referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Sherman also introduced a bill to amend the act to provide for the better organization of the signal service of the army, approved June 19, 1868. Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Sherman introduced a bill to provide for the payment of horses and mules lost in the military service of the United States

The Daily Oregonian.

THTRSDAY MORNING, MARCH [illegible] 1870

For Republicans to Consider

A grave responsibility rests at this time on the Republican party of Oregon. The course taken by the opposition gives Republicans a great advantage if they will but use it properly. Soldiers ex-farmers Navy men at Ansteritz the enemy has thrown himself in your power. It is for you now to finish the campaign by a clap of thunder.

In all parts of the State there are men of respectability and influence who have heretofore acted with the Democratic party who cannot now sustain that party in its assaults on the public credit and on the honor and best interests of the country. As business men, looking to the welfare of the country and desiring earnestly to see it prosper in all its enterprises and industries, they cannot act with the Democratic party standing on its present platform. As men of honor, looking to the reputation of the State and to the credit of the nation, and desiring to see all obligations, whether of individuals or of Governments, honorably fulfilled, they can not act with a party that proposes for this Government a policy which would instantly drive any individual who should adopt it out of all honorable business circles. This class of men will act with the Republican party in the coming election, if that party will only let them. The Republicans may win just as well as not, and their success may be perfectly assured from the start, if they will but take the right course in the coming State Convention.

What, then, is to be done? The Republican State Convention must present an unexceptionable ticket. Of course it is not to be thought of that any but reliable Republicans should be nominated. But it is necessary that the nominees should be men in whom the people can have perfect confidence. They must be men who can receive the support not only of Republicans but of the large class of fair-minded men of Democratic antecedents who revolt at the dishonorable platform put forth by the Albany Convention. They must be men who are identified with the past history and growth of the State, and who are in full sympathy with its great enterprises, present and prospective. They must be men of firmness, stability and unimpeachable integrity. The canvass must not be turned aside from its legitimate object,—the overthrow of the Democratic platform,—to any side-issue personal, and therefore petty, warfare. No man should have a place on the Republican ticket who cannot come with a perfectly clean record. The party must be loaded down with no weights in this canvass. Such a ticket as will win can be presented, and to the State Convention which is to assemble next week in Portland, such a ticket is looked for.

The occasion is one of the greatest importance. The responsibility is more weighty than ever before rested upon the Republican party of Oregon. All can see the drift of affairs, and it behooves Republicans to take advantage of it. All can see that large numbers of thinking men and business men upon whose support the Democratic party has heretofore relied, but who act independently, on their own convictions, are disposed to withhold their support from an organization which would break down the credit of the Government and dishonor us in the eyes of the world. The support of all fair men of this class can be secured for the Republican party by the presentation of the right ticket. Let us therefore have candidates upon whom the whole Republican strength may be concentrated, and who may likewise obtain the support of others who stand ready to go with us in this contest against repudiation.

"Practical Repudiation."—"Compulsory Disgorgement"

The New York *World* in a recent article said: "No party dares imperil itself by assailing the public credit." When this was written the *World* had not heard from its own party in Oregon!

Here the Democratic party has assailed the public credit. Here it goes into the campaign on this one issue. The *World* is right in saying that a party assailing the public credit "imperils itself," and the result of our election will make this statement good.

The public credit has been assailed by the Democratic party of Oregon in the most open and shameless manner. They who lead the movement glory in it, just as they gloried in secession and in rebel triumphs. The animus of the movement is revenge for past defeats. It is the Copperhead virus, that rankles now, just as it did during all the days of the war. The extreme element of the party has obtained supreme control of it, and prudence, moderation, and patriotic regard for the welfare of the country have been given to the winds.

The Fay letter peculiarly and forcibly illustrates the scheme of the Oregon repudiators. This letter was designed to be read at the Democratic ratification meeting in this city. Its sentiments are approved by the *Herald*, Mr. Slater and Col. Kelly affirmed them in their speeches. In this letter it is boldly declared that if equitable adjustment "leads to practical repudiation" or the "compulsory disgorgement from the bondholders of the sums they have already received, such a result will be but the fulfillment of justice. Here we have it that the whole debt is not only to be repudiated outright, but that those holding Government securities are to be made to pay back —to "disgorge,"—the interest they have received. And this is the scheme with which Messrs. Grover, Slater and Kelly have come before the people of Oregon!

A few inquiries here about this precious mode of 'equitable adjustment.' Is the person who within the last month has purchased bonds at 98 cents on the dollar in gold the one who is to be compelled after having his bond repudiated, to disgorge the interest that has been paid on the bond since it was first issued? Is this the Democratic idea of equity? And if the present holder of the bond is not to "disgorge, who is? How is this scheme of "disgorgement" to be made effective? Mr. Grover and Col. Kelly no doubt will undertake gravely to tell.

These gentlemen should be ashamed to face intelligent people anywhere as advocates of such a scheme. Considered in one point of view it is supreme silliness; considered in another, it is criminal folly. The jeers of the people should meet them on the one hand and their expressions of indignation should follow them on the other. They surely think the people of Oregon downright fools, else why do they come before them as advocates of a project at once so silly and so infamous?

Where "Equitable Adjustment" Got its Start

A discovery has been made! At last we have it! We know now where 'equitable adjustment" got its start. We have traced its pedigree, we have explored its genealogy, and now we are prepared to explain to the admiring people of Oregon the origin of this brilliant theory which has lent such polish to the Democracy of this State.

Dan Voorhees is an honest member of Congress from a backwoods Indiana district. Dan and his constituents have about as much idea of finance as a Snake Indian has of astronomy. Well, Dan one day, in order to satisfy his people who expected him to do something, introduced a speech in this unintelligible strain. He told his admiring constituents who were at once filled with admiration at his wonderful abilities. They were in ecstacies with their Lloyd Pogram. An odd number of the *Globe* chanced to fall into the hands of one of the red-hot Democratic politicians of Oregon. He saw Dan's speech and was captivated with it. Here was the very stuff and material for a Democratic platform. Here were the time-honored principles' the Oregon Democracy had so long been searching for. Consequently this speech was condensed into the Democratic platform, and now Mr. Slater is traveling over Oregon trying to recite to the people the piece of the eloquent member from the enlightened Indiana district with its beautiful theory of 'bonus and all!'

And here is the basis the Oregon Democracy have attempted to build upon. The whole thing is founded on a 'piece' which an obscure member from a benighted Indiana district got leave to print in the *Globe*. Slater's speech here the other night was as close a repetition of Dan Voorhees 'piece as he (Slater) could be expected to give from an imperfect and halting memory. Certainly the Oregon Democracy are in a very dignified position!

Editorial Notes

That letter of Fay's will prove one of the most damaging things to the Democracy that could be devised. There was an allusion in it to the "noble leader in the *Herald*" on repudiation, and the *Herald* at once bit like a gudgeon, and published the letter, thus assisting to give circulation to a document that will damage its party every day from now till the election.

The Salem *Press* "spurns with indignation" the idea that any man not a member of the 'craft' should be nominated for State Printer. Which being interpreted means that Benah "spurns with indignation" the idea that himself was not nominated. We tender our sympathies, and venture the prediction that after the election he will be very glad he didn't get the nomination.

The Salem *Press* says that Slater in his speech at Salem, made an 'unimpassioned review," etc. Unimpassioned is good. We have no doubt, his audience was unimpassioned, also. His Portland audience was quite so, and we hear from Oregon City, where Slater spoke Tuesday evening, that the audience were so decidedly unimpassioned that there was no applause either at the beginning, middle or end of his speech.

A correspondent in Clackamas writes "There is a certain Democratic ex-Governor in this county who came back from the State Convention and has started on an electioneering tour under an entirely new programme. He says that Congress has passed a law to tax all farmers and gardeners ten dollars a year each for selling at their farms or gardens their own products, but that the law is not to be enforced till after the June election.' How very ancient the name of George L. Curry does sound, to be sure! A story of this kind is just about his size.

OREGON

Much sickness is reported in Grand Ronde valley. Lung fever is the general complaint.

The people of Grand Ronde valley are having lots of fun shooting wild geese, with which the valley abounds of late.

The *Statesman* says that "an association of gentlemen' have chartered the *Press* and are going to run it daily 'red-hot,' and in the 'Oregon style"

The La Grande *Democrat* has an account of a man killed in a horrible manner, by a span of runaway horses. The pole of the wagon struck the man and penetrated his body several inches, mangling the intestines in a dreadful manner.

We learn says the *Statesman* that the State Agricultural Society have bargained with Mr. P. O. Riley for the purchase of some 60 or 70 acres of land lying east of, and adjoining the Fair Grounds on the whole length. It is a part of the old Walker claim, and will prove of great value to the Society in extending the Fair Grounds. Price, $50 per acre. The old camping grounds are to be laid out into streets and squares, for which Mr. A. C. Daniels has the contract. There will be four teen streets running east and west, and four running north and south. Blocks will be very long and 36 feet wide, for the convenience of campers.

A note from Oregon City gives us the following information in regard to the proceedings of the Circuit Court. The Grand Jury have brought in indictments against Charles Cutting for selling liquor in less quantities than one quart. He filed a bond and the case is continued until next term. The Grand Jury indicted Wm. H. Vaughn and James Officer for obstructing the public highway. They pleaded 'not guilty" and filed bonds. case continued until next term. The case of S. A. Sealy vs. Nelson McConnell et al. for damages to plaintiff by draining Black creek lake through plaintiff's land, is now before the Court and the testimony all taken and the case submitted to the court. Jurors discharged. In the case of John O. Riley and wife against John Wilson, the Court set aside the verdict of the Jury for $3 000 for plaintiff and gave defendant Wilson a judgment for costs, notwithstanding the verdict on the general and defective pleading of plaintiff. Hue last for plaintiff Page, Brents and Johnson & McGown for defendant.

THE EARTHQUAKE IN NEW HAMPSHIRE.—The result of the recent election in New Hampshire shows that there has been a terrible earthquake among the Democracy of the State—an upheaval of the Democratic elements that has realized 'chaos come again.' Look at the following figures:

	Vote	1870	Loss
Republican	50	45 4	600
Democratic	[illegible]	[illegible]	4 881

Over a thousand of the immortal Democracy of New Hampshire gone by the board in one brief twelve month. Shades of the great Ivan Hill! Lest We Bury, Henry Hubbard, Charles G. Atherton, Frank Pierce, John Sinclair, Steele and all the ugh ho ho gentry led by the murdering forms of New Hampshire's departed Democratic leaders, what think ye of this humiliating spectacle? Do not its misty mysterious bones rattle in their sepultures? Were other than it should. *Yo Ho Ho! Hur-a-h!*

Resolution of Instructions

The following resolution was adopted by the late Republican Convention of Clackamas county:

Whereas our fellow citizen, P. O. McCown, Esq., who has grown up from boyhood in our midst, and has commended himself to our confidence by his patriotism while the country was at war, by his integrity and urbanity as a neighbor, and by a successful and honorable professional career is a candidate for the office of District Attorney of the 4th Judicial District,

Resolved That our delegates to the State Convention are instructed to use all honorable means to secure his nomination to the office named.

Gold—Its Discovery and Discoverer

A correspondent of the San Francisco Mail, writing from Washington, D. C., on the 4th inst., says:

Of me was the scene of the gold discovery in 1848. It was here that Sutter's mill stood. On the bank of the creek and one morning when the water had been turned from the race Marshall espied upon the sandy river bed and [illegible] pieces of yellow metal. His discovery created a sensation. Secretly excited our statesmen at what the result was. Not knowing [illegible] Mexican war [illegible] that locality they picked it, tried all sorts of experiments with it to brightness increased and it would not tarnish. They then became satisfied that it was precious gold and the news [illegible] very hastily been trusted all at the estimate of [illegible] Mexico has confirmed by the evidence [illegible] seen the proof as initial to its primitive state.

The immediate results of this important discovery have [illegible] an important page in the history of the nineteenth century and it will not be dwelt upon at length. An immense immigration was immediately attracted to these shores and the town of Coloma (to Sutter's Mill) was the goal most of them sought. All the ravines and hill sides there abouts proved amazingly rich an immense mining population centered there and during an active busy season sprang up like magic. In the banks of that quiet stream the stillness of which never had only given way to the ring of falling trees and the steady buzzing of the saw mill. And Coloma was a lively camp from morning till night for more than ten years there after its streets or rather its street was crowded from morning till night. Merchants made fortunes in supplying the trade that diverged from this point radiating in many branches through the country. Miners came down from the mountains and gulches with their buck skin bags of glittering dust and spent it as freely as water. The hotels were filled constantly saloons dotted, and the [illegible] of dust bags in the gambling saloons could be heard at all times. It was the county seat of El Dorado when that county was in its prime and in those good old days when to be a county official was equal in its pecuniary emoluments to the governing of a small European principality. On Court days the legal learning and talent of the State gathered there, for in those unsettled times litigation was brisk and fees were plentiful and liberal.

As we entered the town my attention was diverted to a large two-story frame building the doors and windows of which were gone and the edifice was fast crumbling away. This was formerly the leading hotel of the town and did a thriving business, its office crowded almost constantly, and in its saloon the constant services of two bar keepers were required to dispense high toned liquid to the thirsty crowd. The main street was well built up, containing many fire proof buildings, while the hill sides were sprinkled with cottages surrounded by neat gardens, orchards and vineyards, giving it a home like appearance, for which Coloma was always especially noted. But few of the old inhabitants are left there now, and in fact there are but few people in the town. Probably three fourths of the buildings are unoccupied and deserted, the mines are nearly all abandoned and the town is as nearly extinct as well can be and yet exist. You might fire a cannon ball down the main street without danger of hitting any one, unless some stray Chinaman should chance to get in the way, for the Chinese slip into these towns as the white men leave, and in their contentment with small wages, not only exist, but appear to be exceedingly happy. I took lunch at the only hotel in the place. It was a large two story frame building, having probably a frontage of 60 feet by 100 feet in depth with a large stable attached and all in good order. Those improvements upon this lot cost about $25 000 and how much do you suppose the present owner paid for the entire corner? Why $750! And yet he was rejoicing over his bargain, and trying to devise means to get his money out of the property. He proposes to take the doors and windows out of the hotel, take them to some rail road town, and use them in the construction of another hotel and in this way he has some hopes of getting even. Nearly all the houses are supported on stilts, the ground underneath them having been "mined out" and lot owners made good speculations in days gone by, in selling town lots for mining purposes. The street is still intact, and stands up a high ridge, through a vast field of pebble stones. When the remaining white persons shall have deserted the town, and the appearances indicate that the day is not far distant, then the Chinese will no doubt mine the street, and may perhaps strike good diggings.

I was curious to know the precise spot upon which Sutter's mill stood, and a blacksmith came out of his shop and kindly showed me. It was "down there on the edge of the creek, where you see those two large granite boulders. The mill stood precisely where those boulders are." I strolled down to the spot, picking my way over the loose cobbles, and followed the stream until I reached the spot. I was an "innocent abroad," a 'Pilgrim," visiting, for the first time, a scene around which must naturally cluster more recollections, and give inspiration to deeper reflections, than any spot on this young Pacific slope. I have not the time to follow at length the reflections that possessed me, but as I plashed a pebble into the stream, which must have fallen near the spot where Marshall picked up his glittering specimen, I thought of the effect which his discovery had had upon the world's history of the great tide of humanity that surged here immediately after, the vast enterprises which it called into being—how the world was drawn hither by its magnetic influences, the Isthmus of Darien was spanned by a railroad—every tie of which was a dead negro,' of the thousands of steamships that had time and again made their entries and their exits through the Golden Gate the cities that have been built, the wealth of treasure that has flowed into the channels of trade, and that grandest achievement of all the Pacific Railroad. I thought of the beautiful palace-like buildings of the metropolis, of the magnificent capitol at Sacramento, with its elegant legislative chambers, and then I looked up to the hill side and saw near by the present home of Marshall—a picture of abject poverty, of toil deprivation and want. It is a little hut on the hill overlooking the town. Its tin roof having apparently been made from the lining of a dry goods box, and appears not much larger than a good sized dog kennel. A few grape vines are planted around the place and over the top of the hill, and this little spot, to which he has but a possessory, or squatter's title is all the worldly possessions of Marshall the discoverer of gold in California. Every day he toils from the time the sun appears in the East until his setting rays kiss the top of his humble cot delving out a bare subsistence yet always inspired with the hope of lucky strikes and a competence for his old age. And thus he has been toiling for over twenty years while nations have arisen and fallen—while others have amassed wealth from his discovery, and the eyes of the world have been turned toward the land he first brought into notice. We boast of our generosity upon bounded liberality gratitude and of all the virtues with which a self righteous people love to glorify themselves, but to my mind it is a shame and a disgrace to the State, as well as the nation, that John W. Marshall, the discoverer of gold in California should thus be condemned to poverty and want, without a decent roof to cover his head.

AN ACCOMMODATING WIFE AND AN OBLIGING HUSBAND.—Parisian journals relate that after every Court ball at the Tuileries, the magnificently uniformed Cents Gardes upon divesting themselves of their high boots, always finds *billets doux* in them. The *Liberty a brace Belge* relates the following, anecdote in relation to this:

One of the invited guests had caught his wife in the act of delivering a tender epistle to one of the gala soldiers. The husband wished to revenge himself on her and hid so in a highly ingenious manner. On the day after the Court ball he was seated with his wife at the table when suddenly the door bell was rung very violently. A servant entered the room and said:

There is at the door a soldier desires to see Madame.

The lady turned very pale but the husband seemed not to pay the slightest attention to it. Next day the same scene took place at the dinner table and the servant appeared again saying:

There is at the door a soldier asking for Madame.

Is it the same who was there yesterday?

No.

I am not at home.

On the following days the same scene was re-enacted. Finally the tormented wife could stand it no longer and so she said to her husband:

"I am the victim of a poor joke. Show these men the door.

Madame, replied the husband. I sent those persons myself. You wished for a *tete a tete* with a soldier, I fulfill your wish, and procure you such a one every day. We have 800 000 men in arms, so you may have visits from soldiers for 222 years.'

The lady went to a convent.

THE WEST

It is stated that Col. Sinclair's command, now at Fort Bidwell will soon be ordered to Arizona.

The Democratic Convention of Idaho Territory will assemble at Boise City on the 2d May to nominate a candidate for Congress.

The Colorado *Miner* says that Summit county in that Territory is probably the largest in the world. It is about 200 miles in length by 150 miles in width and covers an area of over twenty seven thousand square miles.

At the late election in Corinne the women, although possessing the privilege did not in a single instance exercise the right to vote. The *Reporter* says the election in Corinne cost about a dollar apiece, the same men who but a few years ago went to the mines of Wells Fargo & Co. and spent their time in Ruby City, Virginia City and Salt Lake. It is said that in Ruby City Virginia City and Salt Lake it cost $10 to vote, while in Corinne $0 01 was the limit.

The Democrats of Nevada have decided to hold their State Convention at Virginia City on the 14th day of April next, to nominate a State ticket. The Republicans have called their Convention to meet at the same place on the 4th day of May next.

Republican Territorial Convention

To the Republicans in Letters of Washington Territory.

By an Act of Congress approved March 2 1869, the Delegate to which this Territory will be entitled in the Forty Second Congress of the United States is to be elected on the first Monday in June (6th day) 1870.

The Republican Central Committee have therefore called a Republican Convention to assemble on Thursday the 21st day of April next at 10 o'clock A. M. in the city of Vancouver to put in nomination a candidate for Delegate and to transact such other business as may properly come before it.

The basis of representation adopted by the Committee is the same as the representation in the last Convention except that no county which cast one hundred or more Republican votes at the last election shall have less than one vote in the Convention. Under this basis the respective counties will be entitled to representation and votes as follows:

Chehalis 1 delegate ½ vote; Clarke 4 delegates 4 votes; Clallam 1 delegate 1 vote; Cowlitz 1 delegate 1 vote; Island 1 delegate 1 vote; Jefferson 1 delegate 1½ votes; King 2 delegates 2 votes; Kitsap 2 delegates 1½ votes; Klickitat, 1 delegate ½ vote; Lewis 1 delegate 1 vote; Mason 1 delegate ½ vote; Pacific 1 delegate, 1 vote; Pierce 2 delegates 1½ votes; Skamania 1 delegate 1 vote; Snohomish 1 delegate 1 vote; Stevens 1 delegate, 1 vote; Thurston 2 delegates, 2 votes; Walla Walla 6 delegates 6 votes; Wahkiakum 1 delegate ½ vote; Whatcom 1 delegate 1 vote; Yakima 1 delegate ½.

It is hoped fully and fair vote will be polled in the several precincts. The votes thus polled will be the same men who but a few years ago went to the mines of Wells Fargo & Co. and spent their time in Ruby City, Virginia City and Salt Lake. It is said that in Ruby City, Virginia City and Salt Lake it cost $10 to vote, while in Corinne $0 01 was the limit.

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In the several precincts at the Ratification meeting of the Democratic ticket on Monday night the candidate for Congress Mr. Slater and Col. Kelly both took particular care to impress upon their hearers that because the interest of the National Debt will equal the principal (by the process of computation which Slater and Kelley have) every sixteen years, therefore the debt would be paid in that period and the bonds [illegible] would have no right to exact any further payment. Now let us put substantially the same question in another way. Say that Mr. Slater rents a dwelling with $3 610 of [illegible] Kelley for $10 per month. That is $360 per annum. Now in nine years Col. Kelly will have paid to Mr. Slater for rent the sum of $3 240 or $240 more than the property was valued at when Col. Kelly rented it. Will Mr. Slater undertake to say that at the expiration of the nine years Col. Kelly will own the property? Further on the principle of his style of equitable adjustment that he must pay back to Col. Kelly that $240 surplus? We await answer?

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COMMON COUNCIL. PROCEEDINGS.—The regular weekly meeting of the Common Council was held at the Council Chamber last evening Mayor Goldsmith presiding

Present—Besser, Breck, Lewis, Moffat, Potter —5.

Absent—Bills, Cree, Hopkins Ripley 4

Charles McGinn was granted the use of part of a certain street for thirty days with the usual restrictions

H. L. Pittock and twelve other residents of Washington street applied for a lamp at the corner of Washington and Eighth streets Petition referred to the Committee on Streets and Public Property

Application was made by owners of three fourths of the property, for the garding of North Seventh street, in front of block 50, and the application was referred to the Committee on Streets and Public Property, with instructions to report by ordinance.

The Ways and Means Committee reported a loss of currency on real estate security, and their report was adopted.

Chief Engineer Holman reported that the cistern, corner of C and Ninth streets, was ready for acceptance, and the report was referred to the Fire and Water Committee

Messrs. H. C. Leonard, J. C. Carson and S. G. Reed, viewers appointed to view and report upon the extension of East and West Park streets, reported that on the 30th inst. they had completed their duties. The report shows that the lands to be taken belong to different parties, not necessary for the viewers to name, and that having passed over the same and heard their estimates upon the plan of equitable adjustment they had determined that no one would sustain any damages by the opening of the streets; that benefits were equal, etc. The reports were referred to the Committee on Streets and Public Property

Warrants were ordered in favor of the following parties in liquidation of claims against the city: H. V. Stevenson, $7; S. J. McCormick, $35; H. T. Patterson & Co., $5; C. H. Myers, $200 21

Bills of James Dougherty, for repairing Nicolson pavement at the intersection of Morrison and First streets, $20, was referred.

On motion, the City Auditor was instructed to purchase a year's supply of stationery for the city officers, of the lowest bidder, on the same terms as adopted last year.

An ordinance relative to the pay of the Chief Engineer was read a first time.

On motion, it was resolved that the City Auditor give the usual notice that the Common Council purpose to improve Second and South Second streets, from the center of Harrison to the center of Sheridan streets, by grading to the established grade.

A motion ordering the survey of Third street from Harrison, and Sixth street, from Clay, both to the Caruthers line, was entertained and finally referred to the Committee on Streets and Public Property.

Adjourned.

RAILROAD IN OREGON.—Among the several new enterprises which we have formed very recently, of those coming to Oregon to settle, we may mention another gentleman, Mr. John A. Watt, who has just purchased a homestead of Stout & Upton, seven miles west of this city. Mr. Watt has, for many years, resided in California, and followed various pursuits About the first of last year he disposed of his business in that county, and set out to find a location better suited to his tastes. With this view he spent quite two months in traveling through Oregon, during which time he learned to personally the class of real estate dealers, landholders, land associations, etc., who are always ready to "do" an emigrant, and his conclusion was that Oregon would receive all the population and money she wants, from California, if a proper inducement could only be made, of the manner in which the same class of business is carried on in the Eastern States so that emigrants might be saved the fleecings before they are fleeced nearly to death in California. He states that people here are all very familiar with, and have been deceived and published thousands of circulars concerning the prejudices of California against Oregon, but by practical, personal experience, in his own case and in the case of the other family of the position taken against this State, and desires publicly to have it understood by his friends in California that after all the time and money expended by him to hunt up a homestead, and failing to find one which it would have been judicious for him to purchase, he has, here in Oregon, at less than one eighth of the time, and with comparatively no trouble, secured a homestead equal to the best in California—and that there are many such to be obtained.

EASTERN CALIFORNIA RAILROAD.—We learn from parties who returned from the Railroad meeting at Salem yesterday, that the corporation of the Oregon Central Railroad Company has been dissolved on Tuesday, after a transfer of all its rights, property, franchises, etc., to a new corporation organized in this city on the same day, and named the "Oregon and California Railroad." The Directors in the new organization are D. Holladay, W. L. Halsey, C. E. Knight, Geo. W. Weidler, I. R. Moores, Gen. J. C. Hawthorne and Medorem Crawford. Mr. Holladay, Esq., is President; Mr. Halsey, Vice President; A. G. Canning, Secretary. Under the auspices of the new company, freed from many embarrassments attending the old one, and the well known executive ability and energy of Mr Holladay, the road will be pushed forward and equipping the road will be commenced. The nominal capital stock of $20,000,000, and the object of carrying out to successful completion the road also originally contemplated by the old company, namely: The construction of a railroad and telegraph line from Portland, Oregon, through the Wallamet, Umpqua and Rogue River Valleys, to the southern boundary of the State in strict accordance with the act of Congress of July 25, 1866, and amendments thereto, and for such purposes. We understand that the franchises of the new company to finish the road and equipment of the road to the one hundred mile post above Albany, during the present year.

REAL ESTATE. Sales of real estate were recorded at the Clerk's office yesterday, as follows

Jacob B. Day and wife to Barbary Amelia Bailey; lots 3 and 4 in block 220, in East Portland, $275.

John Ayres and wife to S. A. Mills, a piece of land containing five acres, situated near East Portland, and being a portion of Selden Murray's donation claim, $500.

William Taylor to Daniel Dunbar, all the N. E. 1/4 of William Taylor's donation claim, being situated in range 3 east, township 1 north, $1,000

John A. Pelton to John W. Shattuck, lots 7 and 8 in block 129, $3,150.

Philip Cohn and wife to Jefferson Carter, lots 7 and 8 in block 198, $900.

A DISTINCTION.—We have been asked to notice a nuisance existing in the north part of the city, or what is known in winter as Crystal Lake. The people calling our attention to the matter object to it as a dam nuisance; from the fact that a dam, made at the lower end of the lake prevents the water from flowing out, and this soon fouls the body of water will in a short time be a very unsavory smelling pool, which they claim will be a menace to the health of occupants and residents in that vicinity. If we are to have any such nuisance for us wise ones predict this summer, it may perhaps be productive of disease. At all events, the matter is worthy of investigation by those whose duty it is to attend to such things

DISEASES ARE DANGEROUS.—The Dalles *Mountaineer* says that a stock raiser of Wasco county, wishing to know the price of oil cake at Portland, wrote to a Front street firm, agents for the Salem oil mill, for information After waiting four or five days, on Friday evening he received a telegram informing him the price, for which he had to pay one dollar telegraphic charges This appears to us rather an expensive way of sending information, especially after time enough had elapsed to send by mail nearly a half dozen replies.

STATISTICAL.—Some person has calculated that there are at least 1,000 voters in the precinct known as "Portland," in this city By a further calculation, based upon careful estimates of the time consumed in voting each vote, it has been found out that two days will be necessary to get this vote in at the next election, unless the number of the precincts are changed, and the same divided into two or three separate precincts A motion asking for some such alteration is being numerously signed by men of all parties

No. 1 DRILL.—Wallamet Engine Company No. 1 was out with its engine last evening drilling in the lower section of First and Morrison streets. The old machine throws about as elegant a stream as any. The same old members, many of them, are manning the brake

IN PURSUIT OF ADJUSTMENT.—*Hon. Fringe off*, the only applicant for a hearing at the office of justice before Recorder Anderson yesterday, was found to have been drunk and disorderly, which he demurred not but was anxious to equitably adjust the affair and get off with paying a cent to which proposition the Recorder was not willing to accede and the "adjustment" was made on the old basis by *Fringe off* producing greenbacks to the amount of $5 and costs The old way is the best after all

U. S. DISTRICT COURT.—The arguments before Judge Deady on motion for a new trial in the case of the United States vs. H. Mathiot were made yesterday and submitted to the Court A warrant of remission was filed in the case of the United States vs. the steamer Ino In the matter of the case of Brisco vs. Hinnman, an order was made allowing the defendant to amend his answer

ADVERTISING OREGON.—Messrs. Russell & Berry, 83 First street, have issued a small paper of eight pages, which they propose to issue regularly on the first of every month hereafter, devoted to real estate and advertising Oregon abroad They say in their salutatory that they deem such a journal a necessity, and have concluded to fill the void Sample copies sent free

THE OVERLAND MAIL.—It is pretty generally believed here that the reported letting of the Oregon and California mail to Mr Lee Atchison, Kansas, at the rate of $80 000 per annum, is an other Wheelbarrow affair We trust that no more such trouble may come out of this transaction as that occasioned by the *steed la* of 1869

SOME COMFORT.—There are usually some few grains of comfort in the worst of disasters In the destruction of the Court House square, it is gratifying to know that some public interest lingers there yet and that we are to have two plazas instead of one and that the two plaza fences are to each have a nice new coat of paint

CIRCUIT COURT.—In consequence of Judge W. W. Upton's absence yesterday, still holding a term of Court in Clackamas county, the—Circuit Court for Multnomah county was adjourned by the Sheriff last evening until to day at which time, should the Judge be able to come here, business now pending will be taken up

IN PURSUIT.—It is thought that *Charley Ball* will be captured yet, for his thieving operations at Johnson's smoke house If he is it is hoped that he may be sent up to Salem, at Major Berry's headquarters where he will be given a chance to earn for himself an honest livelihood in the brick making business

SENT TO JAIL.—The young man who assaulted the Chinaman near Turn Verein Hall on Tuesday, had an examination before Justice Anderson yesterday, was found guilty and was sent to jail for two days in default of payment of his fine His name was P. Harrold

HAY FOR EAST PORTLAND.—For two days past the *Fannie Troop* has landed at East Portland to discharge hay for the animals employed on the Oregon and California Railroad Somebody must have been making hay while the sun shone

CONVICTED.—A Chinaman, known as Ah Mau, was arraigned yesterday before Justice Work on a charge of larceny His guilt was established, and the unfortunate thief—unfortunate by his being detected—was fined $25 and costs

LARCENY.—Mary Obershaw, a frail one living within the bounds of the Court of Death, will appear for trial before Justice Anderson this morning on a charge of stealing $40 from her man," night before last

HICKORY NUTS.—J. O'Connor corner of Stark and First streets, has for sale a few genuine shell bark hickory nuts, and butter nuts, direct from the Keystone State by Wells, Fargo & Co's express

A STAMPEDE.—Several head of fat cattle, being driven into the city from the south yesterday, stampeded on market street, and caused considerable excitement before they finally were corralled

PUBLIC PARTY.—Of course all will recollect the public party to be given this evening at the Washington Guard Armory by Prof Cardinelli The last of the season, of his academy

RELIGIOUS.—It is said that there is considerable interest being felt in religious matters at East Portland just now in the Parish of Rev Mr Fairchild

FROM SALEM.—The locomotive *Oregon*, with a passenger car from Salem, arrived at the station in East Portland, at 11 o'clock, A. M yesterday

MILITARY BALL.—The Summer Guard propose giving a grand Civic and Military Annual Ball about May 1st

General De Peyster's Life of General Kearny.

Few old "army men" enjoyed a wider or more enviable popularity than Philip Kearny As a *beau sabreur*, as a genial companion, as an accomplished gentleman, as a defender of the flag, he was loved and admired, and there were many who lamented his fall in the ranks of his opposers His personal and military history has been written with great fullness, and in a most animated style, by his friend and kinsman, General J. Watts De Peyster General Kearny's career was short, but crowded with incident beyond that of most soldiers of our time embracing service on the prairies of the Far West and in Algeria in early manhood, a brilliant participation in the war with Mexico at a later day, and a prominent share in the dangers of the war of the Rebellion, in which he died a soldier's death on the field of battle.

General De Peyster's volume has an additional value in presenting a complete history of the Virginia campaign up to the battle of Groveton But the portion of the memoir that possesses the highest interest is that which relates to the boyhood of its subject. Born in affluence, and amid the refinements and even routine of city life, Philip Kearny, while yet a child, developed the tastes and instincts of the man of war His was a bold rider, performing at the age of eight a feat of horsemanship which startled those who witnessed it It is curious to see him, with this natural bent for the military life, under the teaching of Dr. Cogswell and George Bancroft, at Round Hill School, at Northampton, Mass., gentle, docile, attentive to his books and giving no sign whatever of the martial spirit that possessed him Equally interesting is it to note his boyish sport in mimic campaigns, bringing into the field from four to six thousand laden soldiers to be knocked over and placed *hors de combat* by spring guns Thus amusing his leisure hours, he passed creditably through Columbia College and declining the allowance of fifteen hundred dollars a year offered him by his grandfather on condition that he would enter the ministry, began the study of law in the office of Peter Augustus Jay, where he remained for some time, fonder then of Jomini than Blackstone, and rating Tilly higher than Mansfield In a tour of Europe at the age of nineteen, performed in company with General De Peyster, his only idea seemed to be looking at soldiers and their maneuvres, and he would get up at daybreak to see the exercises of a regiment of cavalry Here we see that the child is father of the man Given such prepossessions and personal traits, and a theatre of action, and the result was inevitable in a daring and effective leader The biographer has told the story with much wealth of literary illustration, and it possesses an interest for all classes of readers

The British Navy

England has shown herself prompt in learning the lesson taught by the one matter between the *Monitor* and *Merrimac* and now sees the most formidable fleet in the world When all the vessels now in process of construction in her navy yards are finished, the iron clad fleet will consist of two broadside ships of the largest size, six of the second class, nine of the third, eight of the fourth four of the fifth and two of the sixth Of turret ships there will be two of the first class five of the second and two of the third Besides these there are a number of smaller iron vessels I keep this formidable fleet up to the proper standard the Admiralty intend to add yearly 20 000 tons to the navy including 12 000 tons of armored and turreted ships and fast frigates A pamphlet written by E. J. Reed the Chief Contractor of the British Navy gives some particulars concerning this fleet and its cost which may interest our readers The annual expenditures during the last ten years has been at the rate of £11 000 000 per annum. The *Monarch* now at Annapolis, has been so fully described that the details of her construction and qualities are familiar Admiral Porter pronounces her the finest ship afloat But there are two vessels now on the stocks which surpass her in strength They are to be named respectively the *Devastation* and *Thunderer* They are turret ships, and will have plates 14, 12 and 10 inches thick. The *Rupert* and *Hotspur*, specially designed as rams, are almost as strong The great difficulty to be solved in the construction of ironclads is to make the hulls strong while diminishing their weight In the first vessel constructed the weight of the hulls exceeded that of the weight they had to carry In the *Hercules* this was about 1,000 tons, in the *Black Prince* 900 tons and in the *Achilles* upwards of 5 00 tons The *Warrior* was the first in which this was reversed Her weight exceeding that of the hull by 140 tons The *Bellerophon* carries 120 tons more than the weight The *Sultan* 900 tons the *Monarch* with a lighter hull than the *Sultan* 900 tons The progress in this last case was considerable for though the *Monarch* is about the same weight as the *Bellerophon* yet she carries 934 tons more than the latter This is an important step gained for if on two ships of equal weight one can carry more armament than the other her means of offense are increased in proportion while at the same time the cost of construction is reduced Some of the rams have a double skin, so that if the outer one be torn or injured the vessel will still float and be as formidable as before It is not pleasant to reflect that we have no fleet to encounter these British monsters and still less agreeable to remember that we must some day build one

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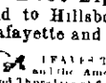

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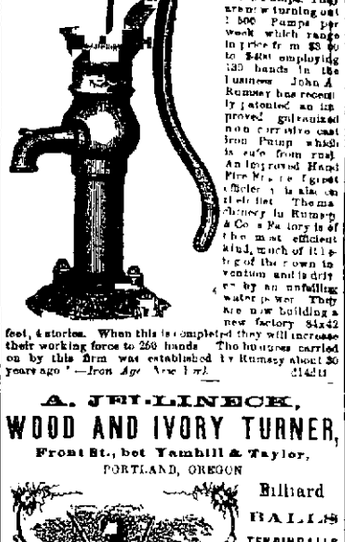

THE SPRING AND SUMMER STYLES IN

SILK & CASSIMERE HATS

Will be introduced at

MEUSSDORFFER & BRO.,

ON SATURDAY, MARCH 12, 1870.

We also call attention to the large number of new styles which have arrived for this spring season, among which are the SHOVEL HAT THE HUB HAT THE NATTY HAT, and THE NONPAREIL HAT mr2d3m

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RUMSEY & CO.,

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THE LARGEST

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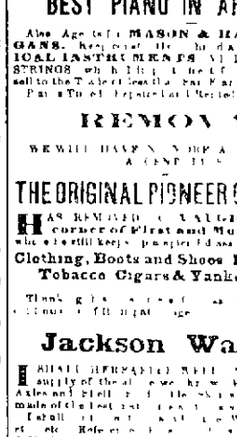

"The Catalogue of RUMSEY & CO., of Seneca Falls, embraces over 200 different styles and sizes of Lift and Force Pumps. They are now turning out 1 500 Pumps per week which range in price from $3 00 to $400 employing 125 hands in the business John A. Rumsey has recently patented an improved galvanized iron Pump which is safe from rust. An improved Hand Fire Engine of efficient character is also on the list. The manufactory in Rumsey & Co's factory is of the most efficient kind, much of it being of the crown to venture and is driven by an unfailing water power They are now building a new factory 84x42 feet, 4 stories. When this is completed they will increase their working force to 250 hands The business carried on by this firm was established by Rumsey about 30 years ago."—*Iron Age New York.* 24d1t

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WOOD AND IVORY TURNER,

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PORTLAND, OREGON

Billiard BALLS TENPINBALLS AND FINE CHECKS,

And all other kinds [TURNED GOODS, White and Red

Also Manufacturer of Cues Cue Leather Chalk &c. &c. REPAIRING Mexican and Cue Work Promptly Done

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AGENT FOR THE SALE of the celebrated JEWETT & SON PIANO, Which are pronounced by the Saint Paul Pioneer Press Association after a thorough trial in their Rooms with the first manufacturers of this country the

BEST PIANO IN AMERICA!

Also Agent for MASON & HAMLIN'S ORGANS. Keep one of the best MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS VIOLIN and GUITAR STRINGS which I sell cheap for Cash or Part Cash and will sell to Teachers less than Retail Prices

Part Time of Payments if Desired feb4 awtf

REMOVAL.

HE WILL HAVE NO PART EVER TAKEN AGENTS

THE ORIGINAL PIONEER CHEAP JOHN

HAS REMOVED TO CAUGHLIN'S BRICK corner of First and Morrison streets where he will keep a complete assortment of

Clothing, Boots and Shoes Hats and Caps

Tobacco Cigars & Yankee Notions

Think of the number of times he has removed to obtain the right place

Jackson Wagons!

I HAVE PURCHASED THE WHOLE STOCK AND PATTERNS of all the wagons now made by Jackson & Co. consisting of Bolt Iron Axles and Steel Springs which are made in the city of Portland and are the same as those made by Jackson & Co. Call and examine them at the old Reliable Jackson Wagon Shop where I will be found ready to fill all orders promptly

H. H. SUTTLE.

mr18d1w&tf Corner First and Jefferson Sts., Portland

Dissolution of Copartnership

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING between Bushee, Livermore & Co. was dissolved by mutual consent on the 15th of November last. Either party is authorized to collect and receipt for the same.

Portland March 1 1870 LOT LIVERMORE

J. P. BUSHEE,

J. B. HARKER

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Hotels and Restaurants

GREAT REDUCTION IN PRICES

Fine Watches & Rich Silverware

B. L. STONE,

127 FRONT ST. PORTLAND OREGON

JOHN B. MILLER,

Watchmaker & Jeweler,

No. 101 FRONT ST., COR. ALDER,

HAS JUST RECEIVED PER STEAMER ARIEL a choice assortment of Watches and Clocks Mosaic Agate Enamel and Gold Jewelry

Also agent for the American WATCH and WALTHAM WATCHES the only two cases of any value Sole agent for the celebrated Self-Winding Watches, manufactured by A. LANGE Dresden and EDWARD FERRIGAN of Locle

The public are invited to call and examine my Stock and receive instructions and also purchase a good article at reasonable prices

WATCHES AND JEWELRY REPAIRED in the best workmanlike manner J. B. MILLER

mr24dtf 101 Front St. Portland Oregon

NEW STORE!

NEW GOODS!

Everything New!

L. C. HENRICHSEN & CO.,

WATCHMAKERS AND JEWELERS,

109 First Street,

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HAVING OPENED OUR NEW STORE WITH AN Extensive Stock of New Latest and most Fashionable Styles of Goods we invite our friends and the public to call and examine our

Solid Silver Ware,

DIAMOND, PEARL,

MOSS AGATE, and other Jewelry;

GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES,

Fine French Bronze & Marble Clocks,

PLATED WARE in great variety

As we have the largest and best selected Stock of Goods in our line ever brought to this city we feel confident in saying that we can suit every purchaser

Genuine Pebble Spectacles. n2ddtf

Grocers.

R. G. SNEATH,

Wholesale Grocer,

82 Front Street,

PORTLAND, OREGON

Goods by the Package

FOR CASH AT

San Francisco Prices and Freight.

Orders promptly filled to San Francisco if desired. Portland May 1 1867 20dawtf

G. VENARD.

CHARTRES COFFEE!

Manufactory Established in June, 1851.

STEAM POWER, NOS 625 AND 627 FRONT ST.

HAS CONSTANTLY ON HAND GROUND AND ROASTED COFFEE GREEN COFFEE of the best qualities CREAM OF TARTAR AND SPICES of all sorts.

The undersigned who has always enjoyed public confidence for the excellent quality of his Coffee, neglects nothing to justify the good name acquired by his productions the sale of which daily increases The acknowledged superiority of his merchandise, which commands their sale in the markets of the interior a relatively higher price over the rapidity of turning out thereof, and every day he sees increasing the number of those who by counterfeit or imitation of his mark seek to deceive the public pointing upon them their inferior productions for the genuine G. VENARD CHARTRES COFFEE This fraud can deceive nobody after a trial but only adds to the favorable opinion of its consumers, the very flattering though unwilling testimony of the counterfeiters Nevertheless buyers should be forewarned and placed on their guard against this practice

BEWARE OF COUNTERFEITS.

Each package bears the signature of G. VENARD

R. G. SNEATH,

Wholesale Grocer,

82 FRONT STREET PORTLAND,

Has been appointed Agent for the Sale of VENARD'S COFFEE AND SPICES my14p1f

CITY BAKERY

AND

Provision Store.

R. PITTOCK,

NO. 9 NORTH FRONT STREET,

Opposite Lower Steamship Landing

and Corner First and Morrison Streets,

Wholesale and Retail manufacturer of

BREAD,

Butter, Water, Sugar, Boston and Soda

CRACKERS,

PILOT BREAD, PIES, CAKES, &c., &c.

and all kinds of

STEAMBOAT AND SHIP STORES,

Family Groceries,

FEED STUFFS, CHOP ALES, &c., &c.

Orders left at the store will be delivered to any part of the City Orders from a distance carefully filled and promptly dispatched

The business hereafter will be conducted STRICTLY IN THE CASH PRINCIPLE

Retrenchment!

THE NUMEROUS REDUCTIONS MADE IN PORTland during the past year in every branch of trade and industry, and the consequent reduction in the cost of living, as compared with the years 1867 and 1868, make it possible for the Proprietor of the Occidental to reduce the price of board and lodging to $7 per week, and he will do so from and after this date. Having always kept a first class table, and spared no pains or expense to make his guests comfortable, he hopes by the same attention to merit a continuance of the liberal patronage heretofore extended to the house. Rooms single or en suite, with or without board, at reasonable rates. Meals at all hours. Warm and cold baths attached to the house. Terms moderate.

THOMAS SMITH,

Portland, January 1, 1870 Proprietor.

AMERICAN EXCHANGE!

(LATE LINCOLN HOUSE.)

Corner Washington and Front Streets,

PORTLAND OREGON

L. P. W. QUIMBY,

HAVING taken the above House wishes to announce to the public that he is now prepared to accommodate guests in a satisfactory manner Nothing will be left undone which lies in the power of the proprietor to do, to render guests comfortable

FREE OMNIBUS TO AND FROM THE HOUSE.

Portland Feb 5 1867 dtf

NEW COLUMBIAN HOTEL!

Nos. 118 120 and 122 Front Street

PORTLAND OREGON

E. GARNEY Proprietor

THE LARGEST, BEST AND MOST CONVENIENT Hotel in Portland Located in the centre of business and near all the Steamboat Landings

AT REDUCED RATES Board and Lodging per day from $1 50 to $2 according to the room occupied

The Rooms newly furnished and well ventilated. Superior accommodations for families

The COLUMBIAN COACH will be in attendance at all the landings to convey passengers and baggage to and from this Hotel Free of Charge. ly14dtf

ORIGINAL PAXARATTA.

AMERICAN CHOP HOUSE

PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES, WHERE YOU CAN find to eat the best that is in the market. Board $4 00 per week Rooms to let. Morrison street, opposite Occidental Hotel

A. MAZARA

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UMATILLA HOUSE,

DALLES CITY OREGON,

HANDLEY & SIN

Absence

The April sunshine is faint and fair
Touches the trees with yellow light
Wild violets scent the warm still air
But ever through the bright sunshine
The sunset and the spring flowers
My spirit hungers for the bird
And faints for love's dear daily bread
Yearning beloved for thee

The day wears on the evening hour
Comes up across the misty lea
I watch the stars as one by one
They glimmer out my eyes are wet
My heart is filled with vague regret
Haunting it like a sad refrain
I cannot still this restless pain
Thinking, beloved of thee

The twilight deepens hushed and sheer
Shadows the green earth tenderly
The house lies hushed in slumber deep
The peace of heaven seems strangely near
I kneel beneath the unbroken dome
And soft upon the troubled breast
Comes down a blessed sense of rest
Praying beloved for thee

To Live or Die

(From the N Y Times)

The Democrats have at length quite satisfied themselves of one important fact namely, that the mission of the Republican party is fully accomplished, and that hereafter it has neither a cause to excite enthusiasm in its favor, nor principle to give it vitality This is the way in which some politicians are prone to speculate on the chapter of accidents as affecting their rivals. They say of a man who is a stumbling block in their path, 'He is getting old, and cannot last very long Besides he has finished the work on which he set his heart, and now there is nothing else left for him to undertake." When the rival happens to be a true man, and not a makeshift, this kind of prophecy always ends in the disappointment of those who indulge it it A man's life is never over until he is dead, and a political party never dies except by its own hands.

The Democratic plans for the future foreshadow a policy which nothing but our little publican organization can effectually frustrate We are threatened with an honorable payment of the debt, and with the cause of good and impartial government all over the country. But, besides the programme which could be adopted, out to-day, there are all unknown possibilities of the future to rebuke the reckless proposal to dissolve the party In politics as in other affairs of life, no man can tell what the morrow may bring forth We only know from all past experience, and all analogy, that as one great question is "settled" another will arise before us. Was the mission of the English Liberal party accomplished when it reformed Parliament in 1862, or when it abolished the Corn laws, or when it decreed the disestablishment of the Irish Church? Is it ever at a loss for a subject on which to fight the Tories—or is not rather the [illegible] of such subjects so great that no living man can hope to deal with them all? The cause is necessarily the same with us. We have settled the slavery question, and are on the eve of closing the whole subject of reconstruction—but will no other events occur in the United States after that? Are the principles which brought the party into being now all withered and lifeless?

Every man who looks around him will answer, NO. The Democrats are for reversing most of the legislation of the last five years—they say is their hearts, "Wait till we get into power, and then see how soon we will undo all that the Radicals have done." We are in the position of a man who has built and furnished a noble mansion, and who is advised by his friends to leave it totally unguarded, after being warned that his enemies have completed a plan for entering it We have to defend the work of our hands. It would be act of treachery without parallel in party history if we Republicans, as a party, now retired from the strife and left our foes to remain masters of the national destinies All the evils of the past would be repeated in a still more damnable shape. We should have made a [illegible] superhuman sacrifices for nothing, and shamefully betrayed that large portion of the people who confided their interests to us. The last wish of such a people would be worse than the first. But the Republicans, notwithstanding the advice of the Herald, would never consent to this infatuated piece of perfidy They will strive, rather, to render their organization more perfect, and more worthy of the great issues which will inevitably present themselves for settlement in the future

Wonderful Discovery in Indiana

Remains of Human Beings ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY FEET BELOW THE EARTH'S SURFACE—A PETRIFIED GIANT.

(From the Sullivan Union.)

One of the most singular and wonderful discoveries of the age was made in the Curryville coal mines a few days ago At a depth of one hundred and eighty feet, while the shaft was sinking through a slate stone, they discovered the petrified body of a serpent. We mean of the petrification, and can say with truth, that it is the finest specimen we ever saw. Unfortunately it was broken in three pieces, and a piece from near the center is missing—perhaps thrown out in a blast of stone. A limb had evidently fallen across the serpent about eight or ten inches from the head, and washed the part underneath first, and attempted to say, even this thin part was changed into solid stone, and was to be seen perfect. The working in the body of the serpent was in all its writhing as if to extricate itself from the stick that fell across it, which is natural and natural as the day the serpent was petrified. The head is shaped like that of a seal, and the tail, from indications, must have been supplied with a broad fin or flat, fleshy substance, as a propeller The eye and mouth can be distinctly traced, while the body is covered with small sunken scales, similar to those on a hog-skin, though not so small or numerous. This specimen is five feet three inches long and of the usual width.

When this discovery is seriously considered, in connection with the general formation of the earth for a circumference of between seventy and eighty miles around—there not being a hill of any material height—not a ravine of a depth worthy of remark—not a cavern and the Wabash the largest stream within this scope, and the earth almost level, and thickly and heavily timbered, what mind can go down into the bowels of the earth one hundred and eighty feet beneath the firmly rooted, aged oaks of the forest, and solve the mystery there unfolded?

A correspondent of the Lewiston (Maine) *Journal* says a singular phenomenon occured recently in the field of John Gould Jr., in Lisbon A loud noise was heard in the vicinity, on the same day the shock of earthquake was experienced at Richmond. People rushed out of doors and looked around to discover the cause of the noise, but nothing unusual was to be seen Since then, it has been found that a large mass of earth has been lifted from its place, in Mr Gould's field, by some unknown power The earth removed is nearly in the form of a parallelogram on the surface It is about twelve feet long and four feet wide, is fully a foot thick, or to the depth of the frost. It is as regular, and the corners as well defined as though cut by a saw, and was thrown out, apparently, by some tremendous force exerted on all parts alike, and it was deposited "right side up" half its width from the place it formerly occupied. The ground one side of the hole is puffed up about six inches, to the rising land, about a rod distant.

FINANCIAL ADVENTURERS The *Atlantic Monthly* for March says

Many of the prominent men on Wall street have been in very different callings They have been cattle drivers ferrymen shoemakers peddlers at horse jockeys They have extraordinary ability of a certain kind understand human nature and how to use the commercial advantage of unscrupulousness The financial magnates are more adventurous now than they ever were before Each month seems to render them more reckless and unprincipled more dish net actually Such little used to make country people stare by the magnitude of his operations and the suddenness of his combinations But he never perverted his reputation into financial integrity and never dreamed of doing what is now done in Wall street almost daily with no compunction or criticism

By accident in the banking quarter means making money by any means that will not lead to the penitentiary By success they are preserved from the necessity of offending in the common way, and are able to dictate the terms of fortune Early failure would have changed the entire current of their lives

Yet how few of the financial adventurers have any permanent success! Those who were powers and radiating influences ten or twelve years ago have sunk out of sight and are forgotten now Hardly a great name on the Stock Exchange to-day had been heard of twenty years ago and the monetary kings of the present will be unacknowledged and throneless before the eighth decade of the century has past They rise and fall with the rapidity of revolutionary heroes in Mexico or South America and, once down, the most sensitive echo does not murmur that they have ever been They are used as pawns by the great players who let them stand or move them about for a while then exchange them as the game grows interesting or sweep them ruthlessly from the board

They learn nothing by experience Each one fancies himself wiser than his predecessor trusts his thought and his destiny more and yet is ruined in exactly the same way Some subtle law of temperament deters them from following uniform courses for any length of time They seem to become victims of what might be called great moral surprises They lie down honest in intention, and bent upon duty They awake in the morning or out of a midnight dream, in the midst of a spiritual revolution and the rebels of their constitution boat down the guards of their strongest purpose

Their hopefulness is always beyond their executive capacity and their intense desires strangle their conscientiousness However much they may be in the dark to-day, they fondly believe they will be in the full tide of radiance to-morrow. They are not wholly dishonest by any means, they simply have an elastic code of morals, and stretch or contract it to suit their passing interest

IN PRAISE OF JENKINS —The amenities of journalism, as between British and American papers, have never been more sweetly or touchingly exhibited than in the *Pall Mall Gazette* on Jenkins, in the matter of Prince Arthur's call at the White House Referring to the account given by the Washington correspondent of a New York daily paper, of the Prince in the outer hall about to depart and being assisted into his overcoat by the President's valet, the *Pall Mall Gazette* says

Can we imagine the possibility of any serious disagreement arising between two nations when the valet of the President of one helps a Prince of blood royal of the other into his overcoat? Never did valet perform a nobler mission than the Republican Jeames when he thus assisted a Prince, never did Prince honor himself more than in thus gracefully accepting such assistance If the two, the Prince and the valet could have looked beyond the mysterious film which shrouds our limited vision, they would have seen the Angel of Peace smiling through tears of joy at the scene in the President's vestibule—but not between husbands and fathers and brothers in oceans of blood diluted with the tears of the widow and the orphan Only a struggle to get into an overcoat, one party playfully assisting the other—first the right arm, then the left. It is over now; but the buttons of that overcoat have linked two mighty nations together, and who will dare to unstitch those links of love forged by the President's valet and our Arthur?

A MAN SEETS HIS WIFE, AND THE SHERIFF INTERFERES —We learn from the Forest City (Mo.) *Independent* that on the 23d ult., Deputy Sheriff Wolf of Holt county, arrested and locked up a man named Wake, who was indicted on the charge of adultery at the last sitting of the grand jury in that county It appears that an old man married a young girl for his second wife. Old man and young wife didn't live in perfect bliss Their ways were not always smooth. Old man was in partnership with young Wake in the peaceful pursuits of farming The young man being possessed of enterprise and of a disposition for trading, proposed to buy the whole outfit A bargain was struck, and an inventory of the property was taken Among numerous other articles the old man's wife was invoiced to the enterprising purchaser for five dollars Everything seemed satisfactory, until the grand jury interfered with the matter, and the officer of the law lodged the young farmer in jail, to await his trial at the next sitting of the court We opine that some curious things will come to light on that trial Perhaps the young man was swindled by an older head and paid too much for his purchase We hear the property wife has been arrested and sent up for trial also. Old man got his money and laughs

Notice has been given by the authorities of the Land office at Boise City, that the public lands in the Bruneau river valley has been surveyed, and is now subject to entry The Bruneau is said to be a very fine valley, having rich soil and a mild climate

UNION REPUBLICAN CONVENTION OF OREGON

The Union Republican voters of the State of Oregon will meet at the City of Portland at 10 o clock A M on Thursday the 7th day of April 1870 to Delegats Convention for the purpose of placing in nomination a State Ticket to be supported at the ensuing election in June and the transaction of such other business as shall properly come before said Convention

Counties will be entitled to delegates as follows

Baker	7	Lane	12
Benton	10	Linn	18
Clackamas	12	Marion	24
Clatsop	3	Multnomah	20
Coos	4	Polk	11
Curry	4	Tillamook	2
Columbia	2	Umatilla	5
Douglas	12	Union	6
Grant	7	Washington	9
Jackson	10	Wasco	6
Josephine	4	Yamhill	11

The Committee recommend that the County Conventions for the election of Delegates be held on Saturday the 5th day of March 1870

By order of the State Central Committee
M P DEADY Chairman
T B ODANELL Secretary
Portland January 19 1870

Samaritan Lodge No 2, I O O F—Meets every Wednesday evening at 8 o clock in Odd Fellows Temple corner of First and Alder streets Members of the order are invited to attend By order of N G

Hassalo Lodge No 18, I O O F.—Meets every Friday evening at 8 o clock in Odd Fellows Temple corner of First and Alder streets Members of the order are invited to attend By order of N G

Multnomah Lodge No 13, I O O F.—Holds Regular Meetings every Saturday evenings of each week All members in good standing are invited to attend By order of W C T

Portland R. A. C No 3 Regular Convocation on the second Thursday evening of each month at the Masonic Hall N 16 Front street
By order of M H P

U A O D—The regular meetings of Wauregan Encampment No 1 are held every evening of each week at 7½ o clock in Druid's Hall Front street near Stark Members of sister Lodges and all sojourning Brethren are cordially invited to attend LEV A SHAW N A
A H KATTENBERG R S mr9dtf

G A. R.—Portland Post No 33.—Regular meetings on First and Third Saturday evenings of each month in Third story No 102 First street All comrades in good standing invited to attend
By order of POST COMMANDER

Use KANE'S IMPERIAL CONDENSED SOAP It washes without rubbing For sale by Allen & Lewis, Corbitt & McClary, R. G. Smeath and all retailers.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE

Portland Wednesday Mar 30th 1870

There are [illegible]

[illegible] wide awake and [illegible] business [illegible] Dry goods [illegible] active to-day and [illegible] selling [illegible] at [illegible] Groceries are rather quiet Hardware [illegible] Leather [illegible] orders [illegible]

In the [illegible] market [illegible] of less freight [illegible] Flour [illegible] shipping [illegible] at mill wheat [illegible] bbl [illegible] will [illegible] at [illegible] bbl At this [illegible] there [illegible]

There [illegible] domestic produce were 80 lbs Apples 1 000 lbs Bran 10 cs Bacon 3 bbls Eggs 2 8 pickles 10 [illegible] 50 lbs Oil Cake 7 bbls Tallow 72 gallons Potatoes

Capt Cahalin [illegible] from San Francisco [illegible] shipping by the bark *Webfoot* 100 000 shingles &c

We are [illegible] with [illegible] that all [illegible] will [illegible] for quantity [illegible] of less freight [illegible] Flour [illegible]